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Some  
Special  
VALUES in

Ladies

JACKETS and  
CAPES,

Plush and Cloth.

were received this week.

Our showing of Ladies Garments, Jack-  
ets and Capes, Ladies Suits and Skirts  
is the best we have ever shown, and  
sales have been heavy. We invite  
your attention to our offerings.

L. P. & W. S. ELLISON.

## R. T. TYLER, REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENT.

Special attention given to the selling of Real Estate of all kinds;  
and represents a full line of the best and most reliable Fire Insur-  
ance Companies doing business in the State, and that "Old Reliable"  
MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE CO., that has already  
paid out largely over \$100,000 Life Insurance in Hickman and vicinity,  
and is issuing the cheapest and best policy of any regular Life  
Insurance Company doing business in this country. He solicits  
your patronage. Call and see him.

R. T. TYLER, Pres. C. A. HOLCOMBE, V. Pres. W. C. JOHNSON, Sec.

## HICKMAN BANK HICKMAN, KENTUCKY. Established in 1866.

**Paid Up Capital \$50,000.00**

RESERVE AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS \$10,000.  
Solicits your business. We offer the most Liberal Accommodations  
to our Customers Consistent with Established  
Banking Principles.

DIRECTORS

R. T. TYLER, C. A. HOLCOMBE, J. NAYLOR, W. H. BALZER,  
J. W. COWGILL, W. L. MCCUTCHEN, M. B. SHAW.

## Mr. Jorgenhauesser Used to Worry

Because his advertisements in the local papers didn't  
seem to attract attention—didn't draw a crowd to his  
store and help him to sell goods.

## NOW HE DON'T WORRY

Why? Because he has found that he can get fifty first-  
rate ads., check full of suggestions, the best that is ap-  
pearing in his line in newspapers the country over for  
a dollar—and that with their help it is more play to ar-  
range ads. which fill the bill to a "T." You can do the  
same. All lines. Send a dollar to

AD SUPPLY BUREAU.

8 Devonshire St., Room 24,

BOSTON, MASS.

**Job Couldn't Move Stood It**  
If he'd had Iching Pills. They're ter-  
ribly annoying; but Bucklen's Arnica  
Salve will cure the worst case of Piles  
on earth. It cures thousands. For  
injuries, Pains or Blisters Eruptions it's  
the best salve in the world. Price 25c a  
box. Cures guaranteed. Sold by all  
druggists.

**Bismarck's Iron Nerve**  
Was the result of his splendid health.  
Indomitable will and tremendous en-  
ergy are not found where Stomach, Liver,  
Kidneys and Bowels are out of order.  
If you want those qualities and the ap-  
pense they bring, use Dr. King's New  
Life Pills. Only 30c. At any drug store.

### The Coal Trust.

The Coal "Trust" is shown in its  
teeth. There is not a consumer  
of coal in the West or Northeast  
who will not feel its bite. It is  
moving slowly but surely to  
complete for the purpose for  
which it was formed.  
Behind the transportation  
pauses and low water, the ad-  
vance is steady. The rise in the  
price must not be sudden, but  
gradual. A rise of 20 per cent.  
to-day and 15 per cent. to-morrow  
is satisfactory to the trust. Lat-  
er on—in the dead of winter—  
a rise of 25 per cent. additional will  
rob the consumers of millions of  
dollars between now and the last  
of March.

DURING the winter of 1897 Mr. Jas.  
Reed, one of the leading citizens and  
merchants of Clay City, W. Va.,  
struck his leg against a cake of ice in  
such a manner as to bruise it severely.  
It became very much swollen and pain-  
ed him so badly that he could not walk  
without the aid of crutches. He was  
treated by physicians and used several  
kinds of liniment and two and one-half  
gallons of whiskey bathing it, but with-  
out any relief until he began us-  
ing Chamberlain's Pain Balm. This  
brought almost a complete cure in a  
week's time, and he believes if he had  
not used the remedy his leg would have  
had to be amputated. Pain Balm is an  
unqualified for sprains, lumbago and rheumatism.  
For sale by C. G. Cowell,  
man, Ky., and A. M. Shaw, State Land  
Druggists.

## Cash Book Store.

Splendid Selection of

NEW BOOKS,

STATIONERY,

NOTIONS, &c.

Call and see our Stock. Every-  
thing up to date.

MARY BERENDEK & Co.

## G. E. Bartlett,

(Successor to Wm. Dietelbrink.)

—DEALER IN—

Fancy Groceries and  
Provisions,

HICKMAN, KENTUCKY.

FREE DELIVERY.  
Telephone—Store No. 94; Res-  
idence, No. 95.

## Court House Question.

To the Voters of Fulton County:

HICKMAN, KY., Oct. 27, 1899.

Having had many inquiries from voters about the proposed Court House for the purpose of building a new Court House, the Fiscal Court makes the following statement of facts for the information of all voters, and invites your attention, and asks your consideration of the proposition: whether or not the County shall issue bonds for \$20,000 for the purpose of erecting a new Court House.

The following order was made at the May term, 1899, of the Fulton Circuit Court:

Fulton Circuit Court, September term, September 9th, 1899.

Whereas, the Grand Jury of this County has condemned the County Court House as dangerous and unfit for use, and whereas, it appears from an inspection to be dangerous and unfit for use,

It is therefore ordered that the jailor of this county, be, and he is hereby directed to secure a suitable hall or room in which to hold the Circuit Court at the September term, 1899, and at all subsequent terms, until the Court House shall be repaired or a new one built.

A copy of the order, by proper orders, directed that the question, whether or not the bonds of the county, bearing 5 per cent interest, payable \$4,000 in 3, 5, 6 years after date to \$20,000, and the proceeds used in erecting a new Court House, shall be submitted to the voters of the county at the November election, 1899, for their approval or rejection.

The Judge of the Fulton Circuit Court, at the September term, 1899, and to the Grand Jury that while the Court House had been condemned by a former Grand Jury, the county officers had done all in their power, and the question was left to the voters about a suitable Court House for the county.

Whereas, a new Court House in the county would be a suitable place to hold court or preserve the public records, in which every citizen is interested. To rent a house to hold court will be troublesome, expensive and inconvenient, and no suitable place can be found in which to preserve the public records. The property assessed for taxation in Fulton county is about Three Million Dollars, and the increased rate of taxation to pay these bonds as they become due will be about 15 cents on the hundred dollars, or less, during the time the bonds run.

The bonds cannot be sold for less than par, and only enough will be issued and paid for the building of said Court House and furnishing it. The county officers can do nothing more until the issue of the bonds is ratified by the voters.

To that end, and to enable the county officers to discharge their duty in providing a place to hold court, and preserve the public records, and comply with the order of court, your attention and consideration of the bond issue is invited on the election day.

S. D. LITEN, Clerk.

H. M. KEARBY, Judge F. C. C.

## Local and Personal.

Go to RANDALL'S for bargains in Jewels.

—Few people can live without work-  
ing. If they do not work themselves  
they usually work somebody else.

—A substitute for the American cus-  
tom of hand-shaking must be found, or  
our heroes will have to be exhibited in  
glass cases.

—Good Girls for 1899.

—Lemon was issued this week by  
County Clerk Luten, for the marriage  
of J. P. Cochran to Miss Doris Rich-  
mond, on Oct. 25.

—Three well-filled coaches, two white  
and one colored, made up Hickman's  
quota on the special train for Ringling's  
circus, Wednesday.

—Fresh Oysters served in any style  
at the new City Bakery.

—John Young Brown fell, accident-  
ally, at Leitchfield and his al-  
ready lame leg injured. He will be  
disabled only for a few days.

—If the scriptural injunction, that if  
thou wilt be weak against sin, there  
will be in these days, there  
would be a lot of hungry people.

—Fresh meats delivered to any  
part of town by W. M. Shaw.

—The convention to improve the riv-  
ers meets in Memphis, Nov. 14th and  
15th. All towns, rivers and States on  
the Mississippi are invited to send dele-  
gates.

—Mr. C. E. Harless, an old Hickman  
boy, was nominated for State Sen-  
ator by the Republicans from the Sen-  
atorial district composed of Union and Hen-  
ry counties.

—Randall has moved his Jewelry  
store next door to the City Bakery.

—The argument as to whether the  
twentieth century begins the first  
of next January or Jan. 1, 1901, was  
warm, but old Father Time isn't going  
to stop long to listen to it.

—A large new supply of Carpet  
Samples just received. New Patterns  
and very cheap. Call and see them.  
H. O. ARMSTRONG.

—Over in Germany a tramp is called  
"classiergratsatzeier." Well, he  
deserves it. Nothing is too bad for  
the tramp, especially as he might be earn-  
ing a decent living as a farm hand.

**SIGAR HOUSE MOLANES.**  
Best quality new crop N. O. Molanes  
at U. E. KERR'S.

**TO THE PUBLIC.**  
Schlenker's Jewelry Store has moved  
in the Berendsen Building, opposite  
Shaw's clothing store.

—New Jersey is not alone a State of  
the future. It has a large number  
here who have an eye to busi-  
ness on his own hook. One of these  
resides at Owensboro, and here is a copy of  
his business card: "Thomas P. Duly,  
Justice of the Peace, commissioner of  
deeds, notary public. Correspondence  
done accurately at low prices. Will  
written. Parties married or sent to jail  
with neatness and dispatch."

**Protracted Meeting.**  
All Christian and non-Christian  
people of Hickman are invited to attend  
the meeting which will begin  
Sunday morning at the Methodist  
Church. We cordially invite all  
of the different churches to aid  
in the music. Rev. H. C. Johnson,  
of Owensboro, will preach Monday  
night.

**W. G. HENRY.**

## ORDER, AND THEN JUSTICE.

There is good cause for Ameri-  
can gratification in the fact that  
the autumn campaign in the Phil-  
ippines has been begun in effec-  
tive earnest with the northward  
movement along different routes  
of two divisions of American  
troops commanded respectively by  
Generals L. W. and MacArthur.

The new plan of campaign com-  
emplates the permanent holding  
of the islands taken during the  
course of the advance. The two  
divisions will be re-enforced con-  
tinually by the hurrying to the  
front of newly arrived troops, and  
in this way will not be unduly  
weakened by this necessity for  
the guarding of captured points.

There is a promise of the early  
crushing of the Aguinaldo last  
rebellion in the adequate execution  
of these plans.

With the termination of war in  
the Philippines, thus brought  
about, the plain American duty of  
restoring order in Luzon may be  
properly performed and conditions  
established enabling an American  
force to deal with the problem  
of the permanent disposition  
of the Philippines unhampered by  
an existing conflict.

As the world's eyes, the responsi-  
bility devolving upon this Govern-  
ment for the protection of life and  
property in a territory over which  
the flag has been hoisted, has been  
discharged, and all that remains  
to be done will rest legitimately  
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**Big Bargains at H.  
Buchanan's Closing  
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**War Reports.**  
The public had just as well  
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of salt and be prepared for many  
contradictions. The papers pub-  
lish all they can get but what  
they get is not always full and re-  
liable. Boer sympathizers send  
gloomy news concerning English  
soldiers, hoping it will help the  
Boer cause in England, and Eng-  
lish sympathizers send exagger-  
ated news of the advantages gained  
by English forces in the endeavor  
to make the Boer folk feel more  
cheerful. So far the slaughter on  
both sides has been fearful, and  
in the humble farmhouse of the  
Boer and in many homes high and  
low in England there are weeping  
women and heavy hearts. Such  
is war.

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and Mattings at H.  
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**Wade Hardy Married.**  
Wade Hardy was married, Sunday  
night to Miss Leticia Hunt, of Union  
City. The ceremony was performed at  
the residence of Dr. T. D. Edwards, near  
Union City, by Eld. T. A. Reynolds.  
—Fulton Leader.

**The Ship Canal.**  
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dent and his party, Attorney Gen-  
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to convince his hearers that only  
one Philippine tribe, the "Moro,"  
"not a tenth of 1 per cent. of the  
population," was in rebellion. The At-  
torney General was followed by  
the Secretary of War, who thought  
to win applause by telling of the  
vigor of our war standing. He  
said by the end of the year we  
shall have 65,000 troops in the Is-  
lands of the "Pacific of America,"  
etc. The administration is fortu-  
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## THE ELECTIONS.

Where All Interest Centers.

All the interest in the elections  
on the 7th of next month centers  
on the States of Maryland, Ken-  
tucky, Ohio and Nebraska.

Ohio is a strong Republican  
State, usually going from 50,000  
to 60,000 majority. In 1897 the  
Democrats sent (he down to 25,000.  
This year the Democrats  
have hopes of winning, because  
many leading Republicans are in  
revolt against McKinley and Han-  
cock, and because Sam Jones, an  
eccentric Republican, is out as an  
independent candidate. It would  
prove tremendous victory should  
the Democrats win; but that is  
hardly probable.

MARYLAND.  
Maryland has an odd Demo-  
cratic Governor, McKim Carver,  
and in 1898 the Democrats carried  
it by 34,000, and in 1897 it also  
went Republican by 7000. The  
silver question split the Demo-  
crats and lost the State. This  
year the Democrats are united  
and the Republicans split, and it  
is generally expected that the  
Democrats will carry it.

NEBRASKA.  
Great interest centers in Ne-  
braska because it is Mr. Bryan's  
home State. If the Republicans  
carry it it will come near electing  
Bryan as a Presidential nominee.

In 1898 Bryan carried it by 15,000,  
and in 1896 the Democrats carried  
it by only 2,721, and the Republi-  
cans elected the Legislature. The  
fight now on in Nebraska is said  
to be hotter than in 1896, and both  
sides claim the State.

KENTUCKY.  
McKinley carried Kentucky by  
only 281, but in 1897 the Demo-  
crats gave back the State by 1,000,  
and really, by the Congress-  
ional vote last year, carried the  
State by 3,000. The Democrats  
would have a walkover this year,  
but for the Brown defection. Un-  
ited, the Democrats would win  
Kentucky by an old time  
majority. The Brown vote, judg-  
ed by this immediate action, would  
not amount to much—but it is  
an unknown quantity. His  
strength is generally estimated at  
from 5,000 to 10,000, and if it does  
not exceed these figures Goebel  
will win by a handsome vote.

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# Railroad Time Table.

N. C. & St. L. R. R.

LEAVES:

Train No. 62 at 9:30 a. m. Train No. 52, 7:15 a. m.  
Train No. 61 at 9:30 p. m. Train No. 51, 7:15 p. m.

## Local and Personal.

To be informed, take a paper.  
For the times are out of point.  
Take a paper—even a paper of pins  
Can give you many a point.

Shaw's for shoes.  
Shaw's for Harnes.  
Shaw's for Clothing.  
Shaw's for Groceries.  
Shaw's for Hardware.  
Shaw's for Queensware.

Bob Laine went to Wingo, Sunday.  
P. T. Handle went to Fulton, Tuesday.

Mr. John Buck is visiting in Union City.

Solid silver Thumbless. 10 cents at Buck's.

Handle is offering some bargains in Jewelry.

Mr. T. T. Swayne is visiting in Union City.

FARMER'S CHOICE Domestic, 5¢ at Butter & Ice.

Mr. Farris, of Lebanon, Tenn., was in town, Sunday.

Mr. H. T. Emerson is visiting relatives in Union City.

Send your orders to the new City Bakery for Fresh Oysters and Cakes, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Kate Ridley has returned after visiting in St. Louis.

Mr. C. A. Jones, of Louisville, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Dr. W. Bailey, of Louisville, is visiting Mrs. R. E. Miller.

Mr. C. M. Truitt, of Nashville, is the guest of Mrs. B. K. Cogwell.

Mr. Simon P. Smotherman, of Louisiana, Ark., is in Hickman, this week.

Miss Marie Bevard and Rev. Archibald went to Columbus, Sunday.

Fresh Oysters and Cakes received daily at the City Bakery.

Mr. W. A. Carpenter and daughter are visiting at McLeansville, Tenn.

Misses Luther Carter and John Hawkins were shown from Fulton, Sunday.

Mr. D. B. Barrett and children, of Reelfoot, are guests of Mrs. Nellie Adams.

The Saturday afternoon Club meets tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. M. H. Mifflin.

HOPE bleached Domestic for 5¢ at C. E. Kaker's.

Dr. Hope Phillips was down from Chattanooga, Sunday, the guest of Miss Ida Moore.

Mr. Wm. Cole and family, who recently moved to St. Louis, have returned to Hickman.

## TIMOTHY NEED.

New stock, at C. E. KAKER'S.

Fulton Leader: Miss Nellie Helm, of Hickman, is the guest of Miss Zou Thompson and Daisy Rhyne.

A number of Hickman people and friends, attended Kinging's circus at Union City, Wednesday. They went to please the children.

Send to W. M. SHAW for choice fresh meats of all kinds, at the old Buck's Store, Tenth and Olive.

It is announced that a popular young lady of Hickman is to be married on the 30th. These who also that a business proposition of Hickman will about the same date claim a Tennessee belle. You think you know who, but you don't.

36 loaves Bread for \$5.00.

Patronize home industry and save from 20 to 30 cents on the dollar, at the New City Bakery.

Don't Theodore Hallam delivered his personal philosophy against Senator Goulet at City Hall, Sunday night. He is so latter and personal that his efforts usually have the contrary effect to what he intends. In the absence of any Brown supporter, he was introduced by a Goulet Democrat.

I offer for sale all the old Carpet Samples. They are nice for Rugs, and much cheaper than you ever saw.

On November 14th, between the hours of midnight and dawn, will occur a heavy meteoric shower. In Washington, D. C., the scientists of the U. S. Naval Observatory are making elaborate preparation for observing the shower of Leonids, while the colleges, universities and various observatories of the world are making active preparations to witness one of the grandest of celestial phenomena. This shower only occurs once every 33 years. By the order of the observatory almost all observatories are sold of the shower of '93.

## A. L. Hocking.

Ask a share of your patronage for a nice up-to-date shoe shine. You will find that in connection with the New Barber Shop—Miss Judge's old stand.

The enterprise of building the Hickman & Tippecanoe Levee seems to be relegated, but whether for good or always, remains to be seen. The Lake County authority seems to have satisfied themselves that Oliver, Dyer and Fulton land owners are unwilling to bring in proposition to their interest in saved, and hence are preparing to abandon the Hickman Levee and attending their efforts toward building a levee on the West side of the Lake, which it is claimed will protect the lake of Lake County. This, together with the fact that Mr. J. C. Hane, the chief promoter, has been thwarted by the courts in his project for draining the Lake, and cutting the lake into products, causes the belief on the part of some that the Levee enterprise may be ended.

# BALTZER & DODDS.

## GRAND SHOWING

# New Fall Goods!

Per Yard for  
"HOPE" and  
"FARMER'S  
CHOICE"  
Bleached Domestic.  
Worth 7c.

These few items place us to the front as the most generous BARGAIN GIVERS.  
We believe in being in the lead.

Per Yard for good yard  
WIDE  
BROWN  
DOMESTIC.  
Worth 5 cents.

## Dress Goods.

Our Dress Goods Department is turning over with beautiful Fall Fabrics, which are hard to resist, in consideration of the low prices we ask for them. No large profits here, everything the very lowest.

Read the following values:

Black Crepons, 42 inch, Silk and Wool—new styles. \$1.25

Colored Crepons—the newest goods for Skirts. \$1.25

62 inch all Wool Venetian Cloth, something new. \$1.00

40 inch all Wool Camel's Hair Plaid, for Skirts. 65c

38 inch all Wool Fancy Camels Hair effect, at 50c

32 inch all Wool Tricot, Home-spun and Plaid, at 30c

## Ladies Dress Skirts.

Best quality camels Hair Plaid Skirts, in new \$4 and 5.00

Black Silk and Wool Crepon Skirts, at \$6.50 to

\$8.50

## Shirt Waists.

White Satin Waist, all shades \$6.00

Ladies Flannel Waist, Plaid and solid colors, \$3.50

## Ladies

### Underskirts.

All-Wool Skirt Patterns at 50 cents

Silk Underskirts, all shades at \$5.00

Nice, new Silk Skirts at 75c to \$3.00

### Kid Gloves.

We have a special Bargain to offer you in Kid Gloves. No more when these are gone. Made to sell at \$1.00, for 60c.

### STAPLES.

We sell them cheaper than you can buy them whole sale.

BEST CALICO, 5c per yd.

GOOD CALICO, 8c yd.

Red Twill FLANNEL, all Wool, 15c.

LONSDALE Bleached DOMESTIC for 6c yd.

HOPE DOMESTIC at 5c yd. others ask you 7c.

JEANS, all-Wool, at 35c.

## Ladies Suits.

We have just added a line of Ladies Tailor-made Suits, best quality Venetian Cloth, dy front and tight fitting Jackets. new Skirts, at \$10 to 18.50

### Misses and Children's Jackets.

We have just received a big line in all colors and shapes—age 5 to 15 years old, ranging in price from \$1.98 to 5.00

### Ladies' Caps.

Plush and Cloth. Ladies' Plush Caps—Collar trimmed with Thel Far and Beaded, at \$1.65 to

\$8.50

### Collarettes.

We show a nice line of Fur Collarettes, Silk lined, from \$6.00

\$1.75 to

### Fall Millinery.

A gorgeous display of Fashionable trimmed Suits in harmony of beauty and good taste, at most reasonable prices.

# CLOTHING AND SHOES.

In Men's and Children's Suits we can show you the Best and Cheapest Line in Hickman. Men's All-Wool Suits from \$3.50 to \$15.00. For Boys Suits, Overcoats we sell the "JANE HOPKINS" make—all Suits have Double Seat and full length. Our Boys' and Men's and Ladies SHOES is complete, and our School Shoes for Children the best made. Come inspect our line.

# BALTZER & DODDS.

## MARRIED.

WARREN, M-A-F-E-E.

Robert S. Warren, of this city, and Miss Chloera McAfee, of Murrah, were married last evening at five o'clock at the residence of Mr. T. R. Smoot, Rev. J. H. Roberts performing the ceremony.

Bob's sister, also on his many Union City friends, also on the parents of the happy bride. Sunday he went to see Miss McAfee and about two o'clock in the evening they went for a drive. They drove straight to town and to the residence of Mr. Smoot, where Bob is boarding, and soon thereafter, Rev. Roberts tied the golden knot, which binds two loving souls together until death do them part.—Union City Courier.

## Supply your wants at Hickman's Greatest Store. Everything going at cost.

### The Two Tickets.

The following are the names of the two tickets placed on the ballots for Councilmen, to be voted on Nov. 7th:

OLD TICKET.

[Devise, Olive Branch.]

L. P. Ellison.

John W. Cowgill.

B. T. Davis.

J. A. Farris.

H. C. Beckman.

NEW TICKET.

[Devise, Clapped Hands.]

R. M. Lober.

R. M. McHenry.

Johns Naylor.

A. Farris.

John Weatherly.

## Just Opened.

The new meat store, at the Barker Store stand, Fresh corner. Fresh meats of all kind delivered to any part of town. Telephone 36. A portion of your patronage solicited.

## W. M. SHAW.

Job couldn't have Wood it. If he'd had itching piles. They're terrible annoying. Backlin's Anus-Salve will cure the worst case of Piles on earth. It has cured thousands. For injuries, Burns, Scalds, Bruises, it's the best salve in the world. Price 30c a box. Cures guaranteed. Sold by all druggists.

## Confederate Re-Union on Reelfoot.

A large number of ex-confederate veterans from different parts of Fulton Co., are camping on Reelfoot Lake, this week, and enjoying a royal good time, fishing, hunting and nutting. We can not give all the names but among them are Jim Parker, Pete George, A. F. Oliver, Wm. Stoker, W. P. Reed, Wm. Browder, Bob Browder, Jordan Dando, Emmet Reed, J. A. Collins, Hayes Blair, Ed Browder, Dr. Kane and McKen, Wm. Harpole, Joe Stanglefield, Jim Blackman, Hon. Henry George, &c.

## CORN! CORN!

The Morgan Hardy Grain Co., has established an agency at Hickman to buy corn. They have put up new Fairbanks scales, and opened an office at the west end of the Railroad depot. G. E. Smoot is their agent, and he has full and exclusive control of all his business in this section. Persons desiring to sell Corn will please confer with Mr. Smoot, and he can give all necessary information as to prices, loading, &c. See him before you sell.

To the many friends and persons who assisted and patronized me last season, I return my sincere thanks. We are more conveniently situated than ever than formerly. Please call at any office and you will be kindly received and nicely treated. Prompt attention to business shall be my motto.

Respectfully, T. R. SMOOT,

10-27-01 Agent.

## Robbed the train.

A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver, of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and now have a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim. No one should fail to try them. Only 60c, guaranteed. At all drug stores."

## Farm for Sale.

The farm near Hickman, known as the G. W. Powell place, near Dyersburg, is offered for sale, 100 acres—24 cleared, very good houses, orchard, &c. For further information, apply to Geo. Wanner.

## Reelfoot Lake Litigation.

A special dispatch from Union City, dated 22d inst., says: Late Saturday night Judge Swigart rendered a decision in the case of Harris vs. Bardick & Webster et al., being a motion to dissolve an injunction to prevent fishing for the market in Reelfoot Lake by the defendants. The case also contained an application by Harris for the dissolution of an injunction preventing him from digging a draining ditch to reclaim some 10,000 acres of land covered by the lake. The injunction against Bardick & Webster et al. was dissolved, but the injunction against Harris allowed to remain in force.

## A NEW FIRM.

Having sold our stock of Dry Goods and general Merchandise at Cayce, to Campbell & Underwood, the announcement is made that Campbell & Underwood will continue business at this point, and will be responsible for any outstanding liabilities and are authorized to collect any bills due said houses. We solicit for them continued favor and confidence. RICE & NAYLOR.

## A Thousand Tongues.

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of Philadelphia, when Dr. King's New Discovery cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. She says: "After all other remedies and doctors failed I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the Universe." Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed to cure Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Chest or Lung. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at all drug stores.

## LOGGERS AND LUMBER HAULERS.

Two Log and Fifteen Lumber Teams Wanted. \$2.00 per thousand for logs, cut and hauled, 1 mile and under. 70c for lumber, dry, 1 mile. Apply to F. M. C. case Courier Office.



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WE GIVE more Style and more Service for the money. We don't sell Cheap Shoes, because good Shoes can't be sold Cheap. We sell High Grades at Low Prices.

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Black and Tan Vel Kid, Calf Lined; Box Calf, Calf Lined; Vased Tanued Calf, Waterproof Shoes. For heavy grade high cut Shoes or Boots for mud and water. In Box Calf, Grained Calf, Kangaroo Calf, or Kip, we can show you just what you want, and the price will be made to suit you, from \$1.35 to \$3.50.

BUY OUR \$3.50 Calf-Lined Heavy Shoes.

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## SPECIAL OFFER

DEAR SIR—I am enabled to sell, and hereby offer you, four quart of "HOLLYWOOD" Seven year old, Double Distilled, R. W. WHISKY, for \$3.00, EXPRESS PREPAID.

I propose to ship out in plain Boxes, with no marks to indicate contents. When you receive it and test it, if it is not satisfactory return it at my expense and I will refund you \$3.00. This is a most liberal offer, and I await your orders. Yours very truly, W. R. WEBSTER.

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CHILL TONICS,

COUGH SYRUPS,

AND

TOILET ARTICLES.

## PRESCRIPTIONS

Carefully -- Compounded.







# BRYAN IN KENTUCKY.

Travels 410 Miles and Delivers Ten Speeches.

Appointed time for the evening, celebrating National Issues in the city of the Party in the community.

Mr. Bryan's first speech was at Harwell to a crowd of over 1,000 who had gathered from Ireland, Carleton, Hickman, Fulton, Graves and McCracken counties. He spoke as follows:

"I am told that down in this state some of the Democrats have been saying that they can divide the Democratic party in two and then whip the Republicans with either hand. I want to do it. You can do a great deal in Kentucky."

"This state is a Democratic state. We have a right to expect that this state will be Democratic in 1900, but if this state goes Republican this fall, it will make it more difficult to carry it next year, and a defeat this fall will encourage the Republicans throughout the country and discourage the Democrats."

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and its principles better than any Republican who desires your suffrage [Applause].

"In this district we had a great majority in 1896. In this county we had a great majority in 1896, and yet with all the majority in this district and all the majority in this county, we were not able to secure the election of a vote of this state. We shall be able to do better if we allow our forces to divide and fight against each other while the enemy presents a compact army. The Republicans never fight among themselves to amount to anything. I want you to realize that in this fight this fall you not only have it in your power to announce to the United States that Kentucky is Democratic, and will be Democratic in 1900, but you have it in your power to elect a Senator in this state at this election who will stand there in the United States Senate for six years as a champion of the wealth-producing masses, not only of Kentucky but of the entire United States. We in Nebraska feel an interest in your choice for Senator, because that Senator will represent our interests as well as upon yours, and if any of you think that one Senator does not count I want you to know that questions are sometimes so close in the Senate that one Senator may decide the fate of a resolution."

"If we win in 1900 and place a Democratic President in the Executive Chair, he can not secure a single reform bill that reform passes the House of Representatives, and the Senate also and shall we in this state permit the loss of a United States Senator in a campaign as we have in 1900, we shall throw away the fruits of victory before we have won them."

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SHE STOOD HIGH

Her Name Had Appeared in the Society Column and the War Argument.

A family living in a North side but lately welcomed a new household. The girl had just come from Michigan and her appearance was very pleasing. Soon after her arrival it was discovered that she was not to treat the family with a patronizing air.

"Mary, you must do better, or I shall have to find some one to take your place," the mother remarked the other morning.

"I don't see anyone to speak to me that way," replied Mary, with a toss of her head. "I am just as good as you are, and I want you to know it."

Mary flung out of the room and returned in two minutes with the weekly paper from her room. Among the social items was the following:

"Miss Mary Hansen has gone to Chicago to attend the winter. Miss Hansen is an acknowledged belle in the leading circles of the city."

Mary waited until her employer had had time to read the paper and then she said, with a smug smile:

"I have a way to let myself in to go with the very best in my town, and as I don't believe you ever have your name on the society page of the Sunday papers, I guess I can afford to speak to you."

The North side domestic declared the domestic incident closed. - Chicago Inter-Ocean.

A Thrifty Household.

A spirit of thrift was shown by a young woman who entered a car with sundries and food from other young people in the car at the next station and recognized her.

"Who is she?" asked the driver. "Who is she?" asked the driver. "Who is she?" asked the driver.

"A funeral, our teacher died, and we are going to bury her together to get this wealth."

"I don't think so," then, after a pause, she added, cheerfully, "but she does by the way, she is being buried in the best of the town."

"Well, that is right; the woman and her husband, a quarter, surely." - Detroit Free Press.

Some of the big gains of the price are air-gains - Chicago Daily News.

THE MARKETS.

LIVESTOCK - CINCINNATI, Oct. 24. Select hogs - 4.00 to 4.25. Choice hogs - 4.25 to 4.50. Mixed hogs - 4.50 to 4.75. Sheep - 3.50 to 3.75. Cattle - 3.75 to 4.00. Horses - 4.00 to 4.25. Poultry - 4.00 to 4.25. Butter - 4.00 to 4.25. Eggs - 4.00 to 4.25. Corn - 4.00 to 4.25. Wheat - 4.00 to 4.25. Flour - 4.00 to 4.25. Sugar - 4.00 to 4.25. Coffee - 4.00 to 4.25. Tea - 4.00 to 4.25. Spices - 4.00 to 4.25. Fruits - 4.00 to 4.25. Vegetables - 4.00 to 4.25. Miscellaneous - 4.00 to 4.25.

# BOUND TO FAIL.

The Loss of Football Players Sealed the College's Doom.

The promising young Detroit, six feet in height and weighing 150 pounds, went into his father's office the other day and gave him a check for \$10,000. He was a football player, and he had just been released from the college. He was a member of the college football team, and he had just been released from the college. He was a member of the college football team, and he had just been released from the college.

"What is this for?" asked the father. "It is for the college," replied the son. "The college has released me from my contract, and I am going to use the money to go to college."

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# MRS. PINKHAM says that irritability indicates disease.

Women who are nervous and irritable are diseased. Their homes are uncomfortable; their dispositions grow constantly worse. Such women need the counsel and treatment of a woman who understands the peculiar troubles of her sex.

Mrs. Anna E. Hall, of Milldale, Conn., was all run down in health and had completely lost control of her nerves. She wrote to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for advice. Now she writes:

"I wish to thank you for what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. It has helped me more than anything else. I suffered for a long time with nervousness, pains in back and limbs and falling of the womb; also had neuralgia in my head and could not sleep. I told my husband that something must be done, for I was nearly frantic with pain. Having read of the wonderful cures of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had performed, I determined to try it. I have taken it and am happy to say I am cured. I recommend it to all my friends and never tire of telling the benefit I have derived from its use. I have you alone to thank for my recovery."

Mrs. Ellen Flanagan, 1810 Mountain St., Philadelphia, Pa., writes: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham: - Three years ago I was a sufferer from chronic dyspepsia, was irritable and cross, and can say that after taking seven bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was entirely cured. I take great pleasure in writing this to you and would be pleased to be interviewed by any one who is afflicted with that distressing complaint. I am very grateful to you."

FOR 30 DAYS YOU CAN TRY IT FOR 10 CENTS.

READ WHAT A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN HAS TO SAY WHO HAS HAD 35 YEARS OF ACTIVE PRACTICE OF MEDICINE:

I have never before in my 35 years of practice seen any individual or recommendation to use any patent medicine, but I have seen the result of such use under my own eyes. I have seen the result of such use under my own eyes. I have seen the result of such use under my own eyes.

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Costing a Pretty Penny.

Gentle's Magazine places the cost of the war with Spain and the campaign in the Philippines from March 1, 1898, to June 1st, 1899, at \$2,437,354. These figures cover only the actual increase in the expenditures of the army and navy departments for the period named. There have been many other expenses incurred in connection with the war, to say nothing of the large amount paid out since June, and the bills not yet paid for expenses already incurred. The war is certainly proving an expensive one to this country, and there is no telling how much longer it will drag along, or how many more lives will be lost before the campaign in the Philippines is finally brought to a close.

**HELPING THE BOERS.**

In a letter to the Post Dispatch "a Holland-American" offers \$100 to start a Post-Dispatch fund to aid the Boers of South Africa in this war with Great Britain. He says that the devoted Boers are of the same blood as the Hollanders who settled Manhattan and many friends in St. Louis who are anxious to help them fight for liberty and their homes.

The Post-Dispatch feels sure that the Boers have many friends not only in St. Louis, but all parts of the United States. They have the sympathy of all friends of liberty and all who hate oppression and greed the world over. But the United States Government must maintain neutrality and would not permit citizens to aid the Boers in their war against England.

The World and Post Dispatch attempted to aid the Boers in the only possible way by trying to induce President McKinley to offer the friendly mediation of the United States to avert war.

**WHAT BRAN SAYS.**

Hon. Wm. J. Bryan expressed himself very plainly in a recent interview at Des Moines, when he said:

"I do not deem it advisable or possible to state as far ahead of what issue will be chief in importance. Conditions and circumstances may change between now and then so as to make certain issues of greater relative importance than now. Our issues of 1896 are just as important now as then; others have arisen since then, and still more may command attention."

As to the withdrawal of troops from the Philippines, Mr. Bryan dictated this statement:

"No, I do not favor the withdrawal of our troops. What I do believe and have repeatedly announced is that we should at once declare our purpose in unequivocal terms, so positive that the Philippines cannot doubt, to grant them full and complete independence the moment they have established a stable government."

"I wish to express my thanks to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough, Croup and Diarrhoea Remedy, for having put on the market such a wonderful medicine," says W. W. Musgrave, of Beaumont, Texas. "There are many thousands of mothers whose children have been saved from attacks of croup and children infirmities who must also feel thankful. It is for sale by Cowgill and Cowgill, Hickman, Ky., and A. M. Shaw, State Line, Texas."

There will be varying fortunes of war in the Transvaal for a time, and the Boers will win some victories and the British some. But at least Great Britain will dictate the terms of surrender.

The biggest day in the history of Ohioan country was observed Wednesday the 19th. The citizens of the county and the Masons of West Tennessee assembled at Trenton to lay the cornerstone of their \$50,000 court house.

**There May be a Law suit.**

There is some probability of a lawsuit between the Mayfield Woolen Mills and the Mayfield Lumber company recently organized. The Woolen Mills think the name of the new concern is sufficiently similar to the name in the mind of the public that such suits would likely purchase the product of the factory under the belief that they were getting Mayfield pants which they have been making for some time. An effort will be made to get the new company to alter its name.

**AN ERA OF AIR SHIPS.**

Right in the face of the disquieting fact that a youthful inventor of much promise has lately been killed by falling from a flying machine of his own make, the Philadelphia Times predicts that the problem of aerial navigation will be solved and satisfactorily before this world of ours becomes many years older; that flying will be the sport of the next generation.

There is only a small difference of gravity in being propelled over water several hundreds of yards in depth and being carried along in an aerial plane at a similar height above the earth's surface.

If one tumbles overboard or the ship that contains him springs a leak or is wrecked by an explosion, the bottom is just as hard in either event. In the case of the airship the fall is far less lingering. When it comes to the question of saving a crew, a rocketed parachute is, perhaps a more effective life preserver than blocks of cork sunk together or a windmill circular cushion of rubber.

**A FATAL MISTAKE.**

A special dispatch from Union City, dated Oct. 17th, says: Last night E. F. Askew, of the 18th civil district, started in a buggy to Martin to take a train. A wind and rain came up, and, realizing that he could not make his train, he pulled at the harness of his friend, Lee Patterson, intending to put up for the night. Patterson had a difficulty with a man last evening, who threatened his life, and thinking Askew was come to put his threat into execution, he opened the door and fired with double-barreled gun, loaded with buckshot, striking Askew in the mouth and face, killing him almost instantly. Askew was an ex-Transvaal of Union county and no one had more friends than he.

Later—Patterson has been arrested and is now in jail at Union City.

**A NEW BLOW AT TRISTS.**

A very important decision was rendered by the Supreme Court of Illinois last week. In brief, the decision forbids the transfer of the American Glucose Company's plant in Peoria to the Glucose Sugar Refining Company, one of the most conspicuous and successful of the modern industrial combinations popularly known as "trusts."

The American Glucose Company's plant is a very large and expensive one, and was sold to the Glucose Sugar Refining Co. for over two millions of dollars. The trust has a capital of \$10,000,000 and was incorporated August 3, 1897, at Trenton, N. J. It bought up six concerns, including the American Glucose Co.'s plant, which is the largest of all. The Chicago Real Estate and Trust Co., which owned \$250,000 of the stock in the Peoria plant, brought suit to prevent its transfer to the trust, and the Supreme Court has decided in favor of the petitioners.

The court decided that under the Illinois law the trust was an illegal combination and the parties who organized it were guilty of a conspiracy to defraud. The counsel for the trust claimed that a stockholder had no right to complain of the sale of a factory because a monopoly was to be created; he got his share of the price. The court ruled to the effect that the stockholders did have a right to retain their investments as they saw fit. The court also maintained that it had jurisdiction over a New Jersey corporation which came into the State of Illinois.

J. D. ARKNER, the merchant and cotton buyer, of Tiptonville, shipped 700 bales of cotton to Memphis, one day last week. This is considered the largest shipment by any one man at one time, ever made on the Mississippi.

The latest news from the Vanderhoof will be that the five children will get \$10,000,000 apiece, and that the two eldest boys, Cornelius and Alfred, will get the residue, amounting to \$100,000,000, to be equated between them. The widow gets the two residences at Newport and New York and \$500,000 per annum to keep them up.

**IMPROVING THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER.**

Nov. 14 and 15 there will be held in Memphis a convention for the purpose of discussing plans for bringing to the notice of Congress the importance of improving the levee system on the Mississippi River and of deepening the channel of the Mississippi. Governors of States, Mayors of cities, commercial organizations etc., are requested to send delegates to this convention to participate in its deliberations.

Concerning the levee system, the letter of the Chairman of the Executive Committee on the improvement of the Western Waterways, addressed to the 'People of Ohio, Missouri and Mississippi Valleys,' reads:

The levees which now exist are the result of this joint effort of the riparian owners and the Government. They are many in the judgment of those who live in the low valley who it is impracticable to have protection except through Government control, and the effort will doubtless be made in the approaching Congress to bring this question up for consideration. It is exceedingly interesting, whether it be regarded as a great work of protection which would bring happiness and prosperity to many thousands of people, and add enormously to the national wealth, or whether it be regarded merely as a great engineering feat. No work of such magnitude has ever been undertaken elsewhere.

And concerning the care of the navigation of the Mississippi River and its harbors from Cairo to New Orleans the letter says:

Congress put this work under the continuing contract system and provided the means for four years; that time has expired and the annual appropriations have been stopped. This last Congress, though it extended the contract, passed a bill at the last session, made no future provision of any kind for this long stretch of river, because there is a river and canal bill passed upon the first session of this next Congress, there can be no work for a year, and the interests of navigation and commerce and the valuable plant of the Government, now advanced to effectiveness, will lie idle. There is no question of the wisdom and economy of the continuing contract system. The people of the public in the ability and earnestness of the Mississippi River Commission and the United States Engineers has not abated and the necessity for action through this convention is understood.

**Transvaal Gold Mines.**

The greatest gold and diamond mines in the world are in South Africa. The gold mines are in the Transvaal and exploited by British capital yearly turn out the largest output of any gold producing country. These mines and their workings caused the great increase in the population of the Transvaal and induced hundreds of thousands of Englishmen with a good sprinkling of Americans and other people to locate there. These newcomers are generally called Uitlanders, "outsider" people.

Canada seems disposed to make capital of the position Great Britain occupied during the Spanish war, and of the sentiment now prevailing in the United States in behalf of Great Britain during her war in South Africa, but Canada should go slow. The people are not yet ready to give away Canadian territory bought by the United States from Russia, including Pyramid harbor, a seaport now belonging to the United States. The United States and the people desire to live on terms of amity with Canada, but Canada should quit grumbling and cease coveting territory of the United States.—Nashville American.

Our old friend, Li Hung Chang, has been interviewed recently and the attention is the Philippines, said, with charming Oriental awe, that the thing for the Americans was to buy a Gungado and thus stop the war. If a letter which Gen. Otis said to have recently received from Insurgent General Plar is genuine, the opportunity seems to have presented itself to act upon Li's advice, for Gen. Plar offers to sell him, he wants \$500,000 for the insurgent army and arms and the other \$250,000 for his own army. This would appear to be cheap enough and yet, having already paid \$20,000,000 for the Philippines, to turn in now and buy the Filipinos would look like paying twice. Our understanding was that in the original bargain the natives went along with the real estate,

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**B. R. KUYKENDALL,**  
Assignee of Ed. Meyer.

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**J. F. FALL.**  
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**THE GREAT PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN OF 1900.**

The politics of the great political parties are now being formed and the candidates are being selected by the people as recorded by ballot at the approaching Presidential election will probably decide the policy of the nation for the next decade. Every citizen must study the great questions that are now before the people. This can be done only through the medium of a great newspaper. Now is the time, therefore, for every voter to subscribe for the best and most reliable newspaper obtainable. The Kentucky Republic is the best newspaper of political news. While it is Democratic it publishes the news in regard to all political parties without prejudice. Its telegraphic and cable news service is superior to that of any other paper. Its special features are the best. In fact, it is the paper for that large class of readers who cannot afford to do so have access to the daily paper.

Attention is also called to the Republic Sunday Magazine. Its sale price is a weekly Magazine is \$1.00 per year. The Republic Sunday Magazine is \$1.25 per year. All papers are now being ordered at the very low price of \$1.50 a year. To secure this low rate each must be ordered by the 15th of November. Send your address at once to THE REPUBLIC, St. Louis, Mo.

**Come Forward.**

All persons indebted to C. A. Hickman are notified that they must come forward and settle. Delays are dangerous. Veritas, Virginia.

**Farmers Free Column.**

Under this heading will hereafter be published notices not to exceed 6 lines each, from farmers who are subscribers. They who have horses, mules, cows, products, seed, etc., for sale, free of charge.

**STRAYED.**—On Saturday night, 14th inst., a Berkshire shoats, marked with crop and 2 spots in neck, were stolen from the subscriber. Any information in regard to them will be liberally rewarded.

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